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Feminist Approaches to Education: Advancing Gender Equality in Jharkhand's Tribal Communities

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ABSTRACT

This presentation, titled "Feminist Approaches to Education: Advancing Gender Equality in Jharkhand's Tribal Communities," explores how feminist perspectives have transformed educational opportunities for women in Jharkhand's tribal regions. It delves into the barriers faced by tribal women, such as cultural restrictions, economic challenges, and limited access to education, which have historically hindered their progress. The presentation highlights impactful gender equality initiatives, including government policies, NGO interventions, and community-led efforts that have promoted girls' education, skill development, and leadership within these communities. This presentation showcasing case studies and practical examples, the presentation demonstrates how feminist approaches have improved educational access and challenged traditional patriarchal norms, fostering empowerment and social change. Participants will understand the significant role of education in advancing gender equality and how these initiatives have sparked shifts in perceptions and opportunities for tribal women. The presentation concludes with actionable recommendations for strengthening feminist approaches to ensure sustained progress towards a more inclusive and equitable educational environment in Jharkhand's tribal regions, contributing to the broader pursuit of gender equality across India.

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